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DEFENDANT(S) NAME	DOB	ARREST CODE	DATE	TIME
ABSON, DESMOND	09-28-88	211 P.C. ROBBERY (STRONGARM)	03-10- 2012	1715 HRS

A#12-0260

OFFICER T. BAXTER #127
1:
OFFICER K. GORDON #132
2:

SOURCE OF ACTIVITY:

OFFICERS (BAXTER / GORDON) WERE WORKING AS CONTRACTED, UNIFORMED SECURITY OFFICERS FOR THE HOLLYWOOD BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT / ANDREWS INTERNATIONAL, 6801 HOLLYWOOD BLVD. #169, HOLLYWOOD, CA 90028 (323) 465-0122.

INVESTIGATION:

WHILE ON ROUTINE FOOTBEAT PATROL IN THE SUNSET BID AREA, WE WERE CONTACTED BY MEMBERS OF THE LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT REGARDING A STRONGARM ROBBERY AT URBAN OUTFITTERS, 1520 CAHUENGA. THE ROBBERY WAS REPORTED AT APPROXIMATELY 1515 HOURS. THE SUSPECT WAS DESCRIBED AS A MALE BLACK ADULT, CLAD IN A BLACK AND RED BASEBALL CAP, KHAKI SHORTS, CARRYING A BLUE BACKPACK AND A LARGE WHITE PLASTIC BAG. THE BAG CONTAINED A LARGE QUANTITY OF URBAN OUTFITTERS MERCHANDISE. THE SUSPECT WAS LAST SEEN IN THE AREA OF SUNSET AND IVAR. BODILY FORCE WAS USED TO COMPLETE THE ROBBERY.

AT APPROXIMATELY 1720 HOURS, WE WERE IN THE AREA OF THE "WEINGART CENTER" 5939 HOLLYWOOD BLVD. THIS IS A FACILITY OPERATED BY THE SALVATION ARMY TO ASSIST TROUBLED YOUTH. AS WE PASSED BY THE REAR OF THE FACILITY ON CARLOS AVENUE, WE NOTICED A MALE ADULT SUBJECT SITTING ON A BLOCK WALL. THE SUBJECT WAS SMOKING WHAT APPEARED TO BE A MARIJUANA CIGARETTE. FURTHER EXAMINATION OF THE SUBJECT REVEALED THAT HE MATCHED THE COMPLETE DESCRIPTION AS PROVIDED ABOVE. A LARGE WHITE PLASTIC BAG WAS ON THE GROUND AT HIS FEET AND APPEARED TO BE FULL OF CLOTHING TYPE ITEMS.

DUE TO THE FACT THAT THIS SUBJECT APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN A ROBBERY, WE POSITIONED OURSELVES "OUT OF VIEW" AND MAINTAINED THE SUBJECT UNDER SURVEILLANCE. OFFICER GORDON CALLED LAPD HOLLYWOOD STATION AND PROVIDED OUR OBSERVATIONS TO THE OFFICER MANNING THE STORM DESK. WITHIN MINUTES, LAPD UNITS ARRIVED ON SCENE. WE BRIEFED THE OFFICERS

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PRIOR TO THEIR TACTICAL APPROACH. HE WAS VERBALLY NON-COMPLIANT WITH THEIR INSTRUCTIONS AND REFUSED TO CLIMB TO HIS FEET. OFFICER JENKINS AND DUARTE (6A65) WERE ABLE TO PLACE THE SUSPECT IN CUSTODY WITH MINIMUM "GRIP-FORCE" WITHOUT INCIDENT. AFTER CUFFING, THE SUSPECT BEGAN SPITTING AT THE OFFICERS AND WAS PLACED INTO THE REAR SEAT OF THEIR PATROL CAR.

OFFICER DUARTE CONFIRMED THAT THE STOLEN STORE MERCHANDISE WAS IN THE LARGE WHITE PLASTIC BAG POSSESSED BY THE SUSPECT. THE SUSPECT WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY FOR 211 P.C. BY THE LAPD OFFICERS AND TRANSPORTED BACK TO THE VICTIM BUSINESS WHERE HE WAS POSITIVELY IDENTIFIED BY THE STORE MANAGER / VICTIM.

THE SUSPECT WAS THEN TAKEN TO HOLLYWOOD STATION WHERE HE WAS BOOKED FOR 211 P.C.

ADDITIONAL:

SUSPECT WAS NON-COMPLIANT AND REFUSED TO PROVIDE ANY IDENTITY INFORMATION AT THE TIME OF THIS REPORT.

ARREST:

THE SUSPECT, REFERRED TO AS JOHN DOE, WAS ARRESTED FOR 211 P.C.

BOOKING / RELEASE:

THE INCIDENT WAS HANDLED IN THE FIELD BY LAPD OFFICERS JENKINS AND DUARTE (6A65). HBID OFFICERS ASSISTED BUT WERE NOT INVOLVED IN THE ACTUAL ARREST.

EVIDENCE:

NONE (PROCESSED AND RECOVERED BY LAPD).

PICTURES:

PHOTOGRAPHS WERE NOT TAKEN AT THE REQUEST OF LAPD.

INJURY AND MEDICAL TREATMENT:

NONE CLAIMED OR OBSERVED.

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